

You are invited to a
HYBRID PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

MERIDEN, CONNECTICUT - the City of Meriden will conduct a virtual public involvement meeting concerning the proposed **Research Parkway Linear Trail** on **Thursday April 20, 2023**. The meeting will begin at **6:00 pm**. Preliminary design has been completed by the City of Meriden and the project is slated for construction under the Surface Transportation Program overseen by the Connecticut Department of Transportation.

It is the City's and the State's policy to keep persons informed and involved when such projects are undertaken. It is important that the community share its concerns to assist in the project's development. The City will conduct an in person / virtual public informational meeting on Thursday April 20, 2023 at 6:00pm at City Hall 142 East Main Street, Room 28 and online via Webex at

<https://meet311.webex.com/meet311/j.php?MTID=m2d57d915cf081414556f5eee4c1b0f0b> Meeting number (access code): 2634 875 4896, password is "trail".

The purpose of the project is to construct a multi-use linear trail along Research Parkway, extending from East Main Street to the Wallingford Town Line.

Based upon a preliminary assessment, the construction cost will be approximately \$2,500,000. The Federal Highway Administration will provide 80% of the construction cost with the City providing 20%.

The public informational meeting is being held to afford a full opportunity for public participation and to allow open discussion of any views and comments the community may have concerning this proposed project.

Persons with limited internet access and cannot attend the in person meeting may request to view the project information at City Hall, 142 East Main Street, Room 19. Please contacting Emile Pierides, P.E, Associate City Engineer, 203-630-4026.

Individuals with limited internet access can attend the meeting in person at Meriden City Hall, 142 East Main Street, Room 28. There will be a 14-day comment period that follows the meeting, individuals may leave a question or comment via email/phone to Emile Pierides, P.E., 203-630-4026 or e-mail to epierides@meridenct.gov.

Anyone interested in obtaining further information or providing input may do so by contacting Emile Pierides P.E., Associate City Engineer, 203-630-4026 or epierides@meridenct.gov.